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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA OR ICINAL

No. DA 09-0437

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

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v.

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MELVIN MATSON,

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Defendant and Appellant.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW, Lisa S. Korchinski, counsel of record for Defendant and Appellant, and respectfully requests an extension of time until April 26, 2010, in which to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's reply brief in the above-entitled matter. Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion and does not object.

DATED this 7th day of April, 2010, 2009.

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